

Amendments to the Claims:

Please amend claims 1 and 2. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of the Claims:

1. (Currently amended) ~~A motor in combination with~~ An interchangeable optical disk drive motor in an optical disk drive apparatus for recording or reproducing an interchangeable optical disk, comprising:

a balancer mounted rotatably with a rotor, and having a hollow ring member containing therein a rotatable balancing member, and having a center axis positioned substantially concentrically with a rotational center axis of said interchangeable optical disk drive motor,

wherein said balancer reduces vibration due to imbalance of said interchangeable optical disk loaded by a user, ~~and~~

~~said interchangeable optical disk is driven for rotation at a frequency higher than the primary resonance frequency of wobbling vibrations of said interchangeable optical disk loaded by the user.~~

2. (Currently amended) ~~A motor in combination with~~ An interchangeable optical disk drive motor in an optical disk drive apparatus for recording or reproducing an interchangeable optical disk,

wherein a balancer having a hollow ring member containing therein a balancing member and having a center axis positioned substantially concentrically with a rotational center axis of said interchangeable optical disk drive motor is mounted in integral fashion with a spindle shaft,

wherein said balancer reduces vibration due to imbalance of said interchangeable optical disk loaded by a user, ~~and~~

~~said interchangeable optical disk is driven for rotation at a frequency higher than the primary resonance frequency of wobbling vibrations of said interchangeable optical disk loaded by the user.~~